

# THE BRANDON MAIL.

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BRANDON, MAN., THURSDAY, JUNE 30 1892.

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## Your Sure to look Sheepish

In an ill-made, ill-fitting suit. If people are not looking at you, you'll suspect they are. Can anything be more mortifying? There isn't even the poor consolation that money is saved. No trouble to prove clothing of that kind costs more in the end than a handsomely finished suit of good material. If you want a suit that will out-last half a dozen of this catch-penny quality, **TRY OUR \$15.00 SUIT.** Tailor made; a sure fitter and a grand wearer, really worth **\$25.00.**

## TRY ONE!

Hundreds of suits to choose from. Men's from \$3.50 to \$15.00.

400

BOY'S SUITS AT HALF PRICE FOR CASH.

## MILLER & CO.

"THE BOSTON"

Clothing House, Brandon.

## NATION'S NOTICE.

You will not only save money but get the newest styles in Hats, Caps, Shirts, Ties, Socks, Gloves, Braces, Rubber Boots, etc., &c.

At Nation's

The only Exclusive Gent's Furnishing and Hat Store in the City.

## J. NATION

(Opposite - Queen's - Hotel)

## THE HANBURY & McNEA

LUMBER

Have now in their yard near the grist-mill, a full stock of dry pine and spruce.

Seven Hundred Doors

are prepared to fill any kind of stock required in large or small buildings. We import our own glass and have now in stock.

MOULDINGS

are made to order and can turn out all kinds of factory work at short notice. Farmers wishing to build can do better than any other place in Manitoba.

CONTRACTORS

Is the Best

COME AND SEE US.

The Hanbury &amp; McNea Mr'g. Co.

G. D. SMYTH &amp; CO.

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### ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Elections on July 23rd.  
Nominations one week earlier, July 16th.  
England will soon be in the theatres of an election.

Master Stanley Crittenden, with his trotting dog "Danger" left the city Tuesday for a trip to Virden.

The Local House was dissolved on Monday, and the elections will take place on July 23rd.

Mr. Harry Parker a young man of this city, has had \$2,500 left him by the will of his grandmother in England.

What might have been a serious accident, happened to a young Englishman from near Alexander on Monday, by his horse backing over the embankment along Pacific avenue near the foot of 8th street.

Advertisers in the Mail will please send in their changes of "Ads" not later than Tuesday noon, as it is a great inconvenience to the printer to change an "Ad" after the forms are made up.

Promenade concert in the Mann & Durham Rink, July 7th, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid of the Hospital fund, for the benefit of the general Hospital. See posters and programmes. The ladies need funds turn out and help the worthy object. The 95th Battalion Band, in attendance, and best local talent secured. Tickets adults 25 cts. children half price.

\$20.00 per acre will buy the Dr. Magge farm of 640 acres, and crop of 220 acres. It is distant from Kenney elevator 2 miles and from Brandon 5 miles. The following buildings and improvements on the place are new, and in sound condition. A large and roomy farmhouse, lathed and plastered, with an A 1 cellar. Large stone stable 40x70 capacity 20 head, with loft capacity of 50 tons. Granary, machine-house, tool-house, igger, and 10 acres under wire fence for pasture. The garden is well stocked. 325 acres have been cropped; and the whole section can be plowed. There is a living inexhaustible spring, flowing through a majestic tree-clad ravine, from which natural reservoir the city of Brandon must ever long be supplied. Mr. C. A. Smith the present owner has been called to England on urgent business hence the sale. Correspondence and inspection solicited. W. H. Hooper, Auctioneer, Real Estate & Commission, Box 173, Brandon.

### MIKADO.

The following is the cast of the Mikado to be given by the Brandon Operatic Club in the City Opera Hall on July 10th and 12th.

Mikado, Mr. A. R. Irwin.  
Koko, Mr. H. T. Mun.  
Nanki Poo, Dr. McInnis.  
Pooh Bah, Mr. W. H. Atcherly.  
Pish Tush, Mr. W. H. Atcherly.  
Yum Yum, Mrs. W. A. Macdonald.  
Pitti Sing, Mrs. A. C. Douglas.  
Peep Bo, Miss L. Lee.

Ladies—Mrs. Durst, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Nealon, Mrs. Hubbell, Misses Morrison, Storey, Smith, Stripp, Shewbridge, McCoskie and Cottingham.  
Gentlemen—Messrs. Lowe, Harper, Sharpe, Summers, Kennedy, Grundy, Roe and Boyer.

### The Coming Concert.

Every thing is being done to make the Promenade Concert on the evening of July 7th a success. Messrs. Smith & Sherrill have kindly given their storage house—the old Man & Durham covered lumber yard—for the occasion—the band of the 95th Battalion has practiced for it, the Brandon Quartette Club, and Instrumental Trio club have consented to take part. Mrs. Durst will have charge of the Post Office; Mrs. Malby will look after the Art Gallery; Miss Bertrand will personate Rebecca at the well with the handsomest gentleman in the town to assist her, and others will sing, serve tea, cream and cake and make themselves generally useful.

The admission is 25 cents the proceeds to go to the General Hospital.

The following programme has been prepared:  
The 95th Batt. Band;  
Waltz, Lucky Star;  
Schottische, Sweet Lavander;  
Polka, Neptune;  
Valse, Maggie Murphy;  
Quartette, "The Brandon Quartette Club" "They kissed I saw them do it" instrumental Trio, Messrs. Butcher, Meggett and Clark;  
Song, Dr. S. W. McInnis "Maggie Murphy's Home";  
Instrumental Trio, Messrs. Butcher, Meggett and Clark;  
Song, Mr. W. H. Atcherly, "Anchor-ol";  
The 95th Batt. Band, "The Highland Schottische";  
Quick Step, "Time may steal away the roses";  
Waltz, "True Love";  
Varsouviana, "Fairies of the Wood."

### MARRIED.

SWITHON—YULE—In Brandon, on Saturday June 18th, by the Rev. Mr. Urquhart, Mr. A. Swithon, late of Galeshields, Scotland, to Miss Margaret Yule, late of Stadrig Kelsa, Scotland.

Ex-President Cleveland was nominated on the first ballot at the national Democratic convention in Chicago at 3.30 yesterday morning. In the afternoon Hon. A. Stevenson, of Illinois, was named for Vice-President.

### DISASTER ON THE SEA.

Circumstances Which Lead to the Belief That 1,000 People Have Perished by a Collision.

New York, June 26.—Mariners hereabouts incline to the opinion that a terrible disaster has recently occurred at sea, somewhere near this port, in which more than a thousand souls have perished. The facts that lead to this opinion are as follows: Saturday the steamer Ocean arrived and reported that on last Thursday morning the wreck of a full rigged ship was passed in lat. 40, deg. 22 min. north, long. 68, deg. 40 min. west. The captain of the Ocean made a careful and minute examination to ascertain the name of the craft, but owing to the wreck being overturned and partly submerged, he could only make out the words "Yarmouth, N. S." on the stern. The vessel was cut through forward of the mizzen rigging, evidently done in collision. From a description as given by the captain of the Ocean, shipping men believe that the vessel is the British sailing ship, Fred Taylor, of Yarmouth, N.S. This vessel was sighted 100 miles out from Sandy Hook on June 2nd, and should have reached port over a week ago. The steamship Vega, with a crew of sixty men, commanded by Captain Rosa, sailed from Lisbon on June 6th for the Azores and New York. She had 316 passengers when she sailed from Lisbon, and it is expected that she shipped nearly twice that many from the ports in the Azores. The steamer was due here last Tuesday, but has not arrived. Her agents are very anxious regarding the vessel, while scores of the friends of the passengers have been besieging the large office to learn something of the whereabouts of the steamship and its human freight. In view of these facts, therefore, those versed in maritime affairs are of the opinion that something has occurred between the Vega and the Fred B. Taylor, and that the loss of life will be appalling. T.S. Herbert was the commander of the Taylor. His young wife is in this city, but knows nothing of the terrible disaster that may have befallen her husband.

### A Jealous Girl.

Fires Five Shots at a Rival Who Had Superior Charms.

Charleston, West Va., June 27.—Misses Gertrude Hazar and Lizzie Spears are two of the handsomest young ladies in the section of Lincoln county in which they live. The long continued contest between them for social preference, led to bitter enmity, and Miss Spears having recently made several conquests, by her superior charms, her rival and bitter enemy, Miss Hazar, could stand it no longer, and one day last week met her and challenged her to mortal combat, and fired five shots at her. She proved a bad marksman, and none of the shots took effect. Miss Spears was before Justice Smith the day following for a warrant to restrain her enemy from further violence, and the end is not yet.

### PIC-NIC AT BERESFORD.

The residents in and around Beresford spent a very enjoyable afternoon at a picnic in Mr. Alf Van Souerens grove on Friday June 24th. The weather was most propitious to an afternoon's enjoyment and all took advantage of the pleasant weather. The programme consisted of a game of baseball followed by a large number of athletic sports, which were well patronized, and we are of the opinion that Beresford can well hold her own with any other rural district in the athletic line. The district sustained its reputation for the abundance and good quality of the provisions provided by the ladies, without whom, a picnic is necessarily a failure.

### CHICAGO SUBURBS FLOOD-ED.

Waves Rolling Into the First Story Windows of Houses.

Chicago, June 27.—Recent rains have flooded the suburbs. At noon water in the village of Dauphin Park began to recede. At Grand Crossing, however, the situation was very little improved. The water is from one to six feet deep on all streets. A strong west wind sends the waves rolling into the first stories of the houses. All communication is by means of boats or rafts. The water is covered with all sorts of craft engaged in moving household effects to a place of safety. Many foundations show signs of weakening under the action of the water. Walls in every direction are crumbling into the flood. The only hope of the unfortunate suburbanites is for bright, sun shine weather. There has been no rain to-day thus far, but the sky is overcast and there are fears of another deluge before night.

In a certain cemetery, which shall be nameless, there is a gravestone with this inscription:

"Mr. Charles Feist will repose here; at present he is still alive and carrying on the shoemaking business at 41,144 Larabee street."

### WANTED.

A good general servant, apply to Mrs. W. H. Hooper, Rosser Avenue and 12th Street.

### FOR SALE.

A YOUNG team of horses cheap, or trade for any property. Apply to Sinclair & Co.

## I. R. STROME & CO.

Leading Dry Goods and Clothing House, BRANDON.

Special Bargains arriving daily, for Summer Trade.

Remember our Carpet Department. The newest and best designs in the city.

We have no old stock. All new and fresh goods in our Carpet Department.

Call and see our stock of Carpets, Curtains and Curtaining.

The Leading Dry Goods & Clothing House  
**I. R. Strome & Co**

## FURNITURE FLEMING & SONS,

We will give a discount of 20 per cent. on any piece of Furniture in our Ware-Rooms for 30 days.

## MERRIT & CO.

6th St. and Rosser Ave., Brandon.

Ordered work and repairing done. Prices Right.

## LUMBER

We manufacture all grades of white pine lumber made into siding, flooring, mouldings, etc., etc., and offer the same for sale, wholesale on board cars at Fair Portage.

DOORS AND SASH, MOULDINGS. PAPER, ETC.

Parties intending building cannot do better than see our stock and obtain our prices. We can furnish close estimates and give valuable suggestions that will more than repay them for their trouble.

### RETAIL YARD,

10th St., Brandon.  
Office on Rosser Avenue, near Queen's Hotel, SAW and PLANING MILLS, Rainy River.

All orders addressed to

J. H. HUGHES & CO.

Jan. 1, 1891-1892.

G. W. S. MATHEWSON, STOREKEEPER.

Manitoba & North Western Railway Company, PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MAN.

### CHEMISTS

### DUGGISTS.

Mail Orders promptly attended to.

BRANDON MAN.

## DOWLING'S

IS THE PLACE TO BUY

## ORANGES

## &

## LEMONS

AT THE

Right - Price.

## DOWLING'S

6th St. Grocery.



## SENSE AND NON-SENSE.

Never tell an editor how to run his paper. Let the poor devil find it out himself.

Stranger—I would like to see your bill collector's moment.

Editor—Certainly, John, reach the gentleman that shotgun.

Twyn—I hear that Sunway's book is doing on the market.

Triplet—He gets ten times its value for it, does he?

Economy—I don't see why your editorial writers don't come right out and sign your articles.

Fullerton—My dear fellow, space on that page is worth two dollars a line.

Reader—Why do you mark your books and magazines so copiously?

Bookworm—They are such a help to a student. I can always tell which ones I have read.

Modern Journalism—Managing Editor (to Reporter): Are you engaged to be married, Mr. Searcher?

Mr. Searcher—Yes, sir, I—

Managing Editor—Kindly draw on the office for ten dollars, get married immediately, and let me have two columns on "Married Life in a Great City" by twelve o'clock. And—er—congratulations!

Office Boy—That mad member of the chamber of deputies is coming up the stairs armed with a sword.

Editor—Let him come. I have my pen handy.

A minister, dining with an editor and observing the scant table, asked a blessing as follows: "Lord, make us thankful for what we are about to receive and strengthen us to journey homeward after we have received it."

Mrs. Plainfield (proudly)—And who would have thought that I should ever be the mother of a poet?

Her Neighbor (misunderstanding)—Oh, well, I wouldn't worry about that! He'll have better sense when he gets a little older.

Mr. Dolley—Now, I don't believe in signs.

Miss Flynn—Well, I do. Now, for instance, there is one I believe in.

It was an ice-cream sign, and the young thing's belief cost Dolley fifty cents.

He was an old merchant who devoted much time to his advertising. "John," said his wife, "what do you want put on your tombstone?"

"Oh," he answered, "it isn't important what the text is so long as it gets good space and is well displayed."

Clerk—Here's a health item in this paper that I think I'll work up into a placard to hang up in the hat department next to "No Trouble to Show Goods."

Promoter—What is it?

Clerk—Don't Go Out Without a Hat.

Reporter—If you will allow me to have the sermon which you are to deliver on Sunday, I will copy it and print it in Monday's paper.

The Rev. D. G. G.—I cannot allow my sermon to be put in any hands. If you will come to the church on Sunday, you can hear it as it is.

Reporter—Thank you, I do not work on Sundays.

Editor (to Reporter)—Do you expect pay for this?

Humorist—Oh, yes, you didn't think I was a business for fun, did you?

Reporter—Any money in circulation?

Humorist—No, sir, the financial news is all gone to do if you can.

Reporter—Of your report?

Humorist—No, sir, recall his name.

Reporter—And the city editor?

Humorist—No, sir, short, you know.

Reporter—And to the thrasher?

Humorist—No, sir, red, as he is.

Reporter—And the chief clerk?

Humorist—No, sir, on his back last night.

Reporter—And the functionary?

Humorist—No, sir, me get my name.

Reporter—And the city editor?

Humorist—No, sir, and the city editor.

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## CREDIT DISCONTINUED.

The undersigned begs to tender his thanks to the public in general for the liberal patronage they have given him, and to announce at the same time, that for the future his business will be continued on the cash basis only. He has experienced that credit makes business managers much more expensive to him. The business man and the mechanic must charge more for their wares and works, and the purchasers more for their receipts. He has therefore resolved on collecting at once all outstanding accounts that are collectable, and on bringing work down to hard pan prices for cash. He is ever ready to turn out the best work that can be done in the country, by the most skillful workmen that cash can engage, and at the lowest prices for the needful on the spot. This system of business will prove the most satisfactory to all concerned.

WM. WILSON, Blacksmith.  
9th St., Brandon.

## 20 MILES TO PROCURE MEDICINE.

Winfield, Ont.

W. H. CONSTOCK, Brockville.

DEAR SIR—Am selling your "Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills" in this locality. I have customers who come 20 miles for the sake of getting Morse's Pills. This speaks for itself as to their value. I use them in our family with the most satisfactory results. My wife has been cured of sick-headache by their use. We could not do without them.

Yours, etc.,  
A. KRAMPEN

## PROGRESS.

It is very important in this age of vast material progress that a remedy be pleasing to the taste and to the eye, easily taken, acceptable to the stomach and healthy in its nature and effects. Possessing these qualities, Syrup of Figs is the one perfect laxative and most gentle diuretic known.

## AT HOME AND ABROAD.

Physicians, travellers, pioneers, settlers and invalids and all classes of people of every degree, testify to the medicinal and tonic virtues of Burdock Blood Bitters, the most popular and effective medicine extant. It cures all diseases of the stomach, liver, bowels and blood.

## Consumption & Lung Difficulties.

Always arise from particles of corrupt matter deposited in the air-cells, by impure blood. Purify that stream of life and it will very soon carry off and destroy the poisonous matter, and like a crystal river flowing through a desert, will bring with it and leave throughout the body the elements of health and strength. As the river, leaving the elements of fertility in its course, causes the before barren waste to bloom with flowers and fruit, so pure blood causes the frame to rejoice in strength and health, and bloom with unfading beauty. All Medicine Dealers sell Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills.

## TO DISPEL COLDS,

Headaches and Fevers, to cleanse the system effectually, yet gently, when costive or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently cure habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity, without irritating or weakening them, use Syrup of Figs.

## General Fire Insurance Agency.

## NOTICE.

I beg to notify the public that I have been appointed Agent for the Northwest Fire Insurance Company of Manitoba, and the Capital Insurance Company of London, England, Capital \$1,000,000. The Insurance Company of North America, each with \$2,500,000, and that I am prepared to renew existing insurances now in force at this Agency, as well as to accept proposals for new insurances. All classes of insurable property written at current rates. Apply to  
J. R. MLATBY,  
Agent for Manitoba district  
Lafayette Block, Ross Ave.

## CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA.

As is well known, this troublesome complaint arises from over-eating, the use of too much rich food, neglected constipation, lack of exercise, bad air, etc. The food should be thoroughly chewed and never bolted or swallowed in haste. Stimulants must be avoided and exercise be taken if possible. A remedy which has rarely failed to give prompt relief and effect permanent cures, even in the most obstinate cases, is Burdock Blood Bitters. It acts by regulating and toning the digestive organs, removing costiveness and increasing the appetite and restoring health and vigor to the system. As a case in point we quote from a letter written by Miss L. A. Kuhn, of Hamilton, Ont.: "Two years ago life seemed a burden. I could not eat the simplest food without being a dreadful misery in my stomach, under my shoulders and across the back of my neck. Medical advice failed to procure relief and seeing B. B. B. advertised, I took two bottles of it, and have been entirely from any symptoms of my complaints since." This gives very conclusive proof of the efficacy of this wonderful remedy.

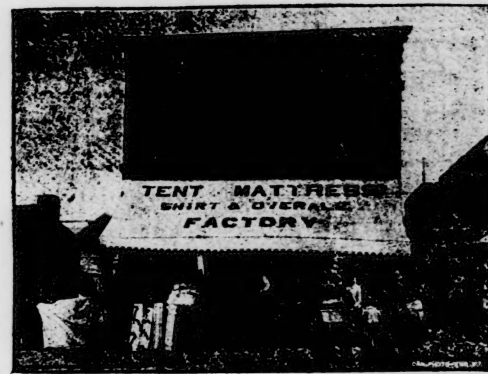
## CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary, the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Phthisis, Asthma, Catarrh, and all Throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men. Actuated by this motive, and from a sense of duty, he has prepared and sent free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamps, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 320 Powers Block, Rochester, N. Y.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

SYMPTOMS—Moisture, intense itching and stinging, most at night; worse by scratching, often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. SWANSON's Ointment cures the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At druggists, or by mail for 50 cents. Dr. Swanston & Son, Philadelphia, Lyman, Box 2200, Montreal. Wholesale agents.

## Patronize Home Industry.



## Emerson & Winder

BRANDON, MANITOBA.

MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN

## Tents, Mattresses, Awnings, Shirts and Overalls

of all sizes and descriptions.

We make and repair Binding Canvasses for all kinds of Binders in the Markets. Special attention paid to Wholesale orders for Mattresses and Overalls.

## Special Notice.

Carpets cleaned by machinery. Send your orders early.

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## BRANDON POST OFFICE.

Office Hours from 8 o'clock to 12 o'clock. Money Order Office Hours, from 10 to 12. Mails for despatch are closed as follows: For the East, daily, at 10:45 a.m. " West, daily, except Wednesday, at 12:45. " Rapid City, daily, except Sundays, at 12:45. Monday, Souris, Hartney, Melita, Napinka, Lander, 9 a.m. " Menith, Oxbow and Carleton Place, 9 a.m. Tuesday, Northern Pacific Railway, 7 a.m. " Hayfield, Carleton, Minnawawa, 7 a.m. Wednesday, Souris, Hartney, Melita, Napinka, Lander, 9 a.m. " Menith, Oxbow and Carleton Place, 9 a.m. Friday, Souris, Hartney, Melita, Napinka, Lander, 9 a.m. " Menith, Oxbow and Carleton Place, 9 a.m. Saturday, Northern Pacific Railway, 7 a.m. " Hayfield, Carleton, Minnawawa, 7 a.m. " Menith, Oxbow and Carleton Place, 9 a.m. J. C. KAVANAGH, POSTMASTER.

## The Province of Quebec Lottery.

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## BI-MONTHLY DRAWINGS FOR 1892.

7 and 20 January 6 and 20 July  
3 and 17 February 3 and 17 August  
5 and 19 March 7 and 21 September  
6 and 20 April 5 and 19 October  
4 and 18 May 2 and 16 November  
1 and 15 June 7 and 21 December

## —3134 PRIZES—

WORTH \$52,740.

## —CAPITAL PRIZE—

WORTH \$15,000.

Ticket, - - \$1.00

do 25cts.

## LIST OF PRIZES

1	Prize worth	\$15,000	\$15,000
1	"	5,000	5,000
1	"	2,500	2,500
1	"	1,250	1,250
2	Prizes	500	1,000
5	"	250	1,250
25	"	50	2,500
"	"	25	3,000
"	"	15	5,000
"	"	10	3,000
100	"	25	2,500
100	"	15	1,000
100	"	10	4,900
999	"	5	4,900
999	"	5	4,900

3134 Prizes worth \$52,740

S. E. LEFEBVRE,

MANAGER.

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## St. Jacobs Oil.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR PAIN  
A SAFE, SPEEDY SURE CURE FOR RHEUMATISM & NEURALGIA

Ask your Druggist for it and take nothing else.

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REAL ESTATE and COMMISSION AGENT.  
Money to loan on City or Farm property.  
Homer Avenue, Brandon.

## DR. NITTLERSHUP.

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Ox-Bow, Assn.  
Brandon, June 2, 1901 year.

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Fresco, Sign and plain Painter, Wall Tinting, Glazing, Paper hanging.

Designs and estimates furnished for Decorations on Churches, Halls, Weddings, etc.

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Brandon, June 2, 1892.

## THOMAS THOMPSON.

Member of the Winnipeg Grain and Produce Exchange.

GRAIN COMMISSION MERCHANT.

All kinds of grain bought and sold in large or small quantities by sample or grade. Highest market prices obtained, liberal advances made on grain entrusted for sale, and prompt settlement of all transactions. American and European market quotations received daily. Correspondence and samples solicited.

## The Merchants Bank of Canada.

HEAD OFFICE MONTREAL.

PAID UP CAPITAL \$5,750,000

RESERVE FUND \$7,350,000

## GENERAL BANKING AND EXCHANGE BUSINESS Transacted.

Saving Bank Department recently added.

Deposits received and interest allowed at Four per Cent. per Annum.

E. S. PHILIPS, Manager.

## DR. DICKEON, DENTIST.

Office over Fleming's Drug Store, Homer Avenue.

Anesthetics administered for Painless Extraction of Teeth.

JOHN DICKSON, D. D. S.

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Crimes Investigated, Evidence Procured, Property Found and Criminals Punished.

Business Quickly and Legally Transacted.

J. K. FOSTER, Manager.

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Sterling and other exchange bought and sold.

MONEY LOANED on real estate and on personal securities, collections promptly attended to.

OFFICE—Romer Ave. between 6th and 7th Sts. Brandon, Man.

## S. W. MCINNIS, Graduate of Philadelphia Dental College.

Successor to F. K. Hoerling, D.D.S.

Office—Corner of 9th Street and Homer Avenue

One for Painless extraction of Teeth.

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Eyes Tested for Glasses.

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## C. J. CARLY, Watchmaker and Jeweller.

Repairer of all kinds of Watches and Jewellery.

Home Avenue, between 7th and 8th Sts.

## GEORGE F. FARMER, FURNITURE.

I prepare to sell and repair all kinds of Furniture.

Apply in case of FURNITURE, STOVE, or other household goods.

Brandon, August 6th, 1901.

## DALY & COLDWELL, BARBERS and Shavers.

Solicitors for the Imperial Bank of Canada.

Money to Loan.

Overseas over France, Store opposite New Run Office, Ross Ave.

## W. H. SHILLINGLAW, Real Estate Agent.

Office: Home Avenue, between 7th and 8th Sts.

BRANDON - MANITOBA.

## H. S. DICKSON, D. D. S., Surgeon and Civil Engineer.

Municipal work, Bridge piers, special surveys of Dominion lands.

Specialty authorized to make coroners' official surveys of Dominion lands.

Correspondence invited.

OFFICE: Home Avenue, Brandon, Man.

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# BRANDON MAIL

THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1892.

## THE VOTERS' LISTS.

It is only as the practical operator of Mr. Greenway's election act comes before the public that the crooked intent of the framers of it becomes apparent. There is no doubting that there are some officials who will do reasonably straight work no matter what machinery to do wrong may be placed in their hands. There are others again who in the ordinary walks of life are square in their dealings with their fellow men, but who think it no wrong to do all for their own political party, a stretch of conscience will allow them to do, while there is a third class who think or profess to think they are doing their country service in doing all the shady work for their political party a law crooked by intent and design will allow them to do. In Manitoba at the present time there are cries in almost every constituency from the Opposition against the defects of the Voters' Lists, and these defects are more or less glaring according to the scruples of the clerks employed to compile the lists. We suppose there are many lists in the province much worse than that of the City of Brandon; but there is enough in that to show that under the natural working of the election law, in the hands of an unscrupulous clerk an Opposition candidate could not be elected in a single constituency of the province. For instance, there are 70 names left off for which declarations were sent in by Mr. Macdonald's friends, and the only defence of the registration clerk is he believed they were not entitled to go on. Why a clerk of any court should act as Judge and Jury and decide on the merits of any case with a declaration in its defence, or why a law should not only screen him from punishment but apparently defend him in doing so, is something that no honest man can explain. It is clear that if the compilation of a list was left to a clerk alone, there are many reasons why it should be defective, but why names for which declarations were to the good should be left off, a repeat, admits of no ordinary explanation. In the case in this city, oversight cannot be advanced when all of 70 are in this category. The clerk kept from time to time, a memorandum of all the names handed him, and he professed to enter them. Before the Revision this memorandum is asked for, and it is not produced. The manuscript handed the printer is asked for, and it is said to be lost. The 23rd of the month was advertised as the last day for receiving names and there is absolute proof there are many names on the printed list that were not accounted for on the last hour for closing the list, and no satisfactory explanation is to the fore for the addition. If the law only provided a penalty for such acts whether of omission or commission they would be open to prevent such acts, but there is none. The law was intended to willfully cheat the opposition to the government out of its legitimate rights at the polls, and it is only to be regretted that there are so many of the appointees of the government willing to act in conformity with its worst intentions.

We very much fear the fever heat of both cities in Winnipeg over the elections is not doing much to advance the tone of journalism in Manitoba. We are of the belief that the Government is guilty of every sin laid at its door by the Free Press and that substantial language is necessary to expose the wrong doing; but when it comes to ringing the changes on these changes over and over in language growing stronger and stronger every time, it is a question if the repetitions do not do more harm than good. As for the language of the Tribune it is simply execrable. That print professes to be independent, and no fish wife could be stronger or more reprehensible language in abuse of a competitor in business than that paper does in dealing with the Opposition. This must recoil on its own head. Very often the Mail employs strong adjectives in dealing with subjects that in our judgment deserve severe condemnation, but when we say what we have to say, we are done.

We have now definite information that the Mr. Lang we referred to last week as on a visit in the west to endeavor to manipulate the Orange vote, is in the employ of the Greenway Government. The cheekiest piece of the whole business lies, however, in the fact that Mr. Stewart Mulvey knowing the fact, gave the man a letter of introduction to prominent Orangemen this way. The two circumstances together show that Mulvey is nothing more nor less than a tool in the hands of the Greenway Government, but what right he has to employ his supposed high standing in the fraternity, to advance the interests of Greenwayism in the country, the public cannot well understand. Orangemen as well as others will

however, please remember the whole Opposition are fighting for the life of the country. Mulvey and Lang are fighting for their own dinners.

If the success that attended Mr. Lyon's efforts at his Grit picnic at McGregor, on Friday, is an expression of the whole constituency he cannot fail to carry the division by from 50 to 100 majority. His own address, though he has not more than two or three times appeared on a public platform, was calm, well reserved and sensible, showing that with practice he will be a creditable platform speaker, which his opponent from appearances, never can be. The meeting, though called by the Grits, was very highly in favor of Mr. Lyon's as the cheers fully demonstrated. The speeches of Messrs. Cooper and Rogers were also sensible and convincing. What the electors of Manitoba can think of the exhibition of Manitoba's only representative, who called a man in the audience a "d-d liar" and jumped from the platform to thrash him we leave them to say. The exhibition showed at least that while he has the title "Honorable" before his name he has nothing after it.

In the estimates of the Local House the last session there is placed the sum of \$15,000 for "Constitutional Litigation". The intention is to consume this amount in the hands of Dalton McCarthy and Joseph Martin to England, to argue the Manitoba school act before the Privy Council. Had the government taken a course that common sense would have dictated and sent the Bill, before it became law, to the law officers of the Crown, in England, for their legal opinion as to its constitutionality, all expenses would have been saved to the country and the \$15,000 more that has already gone to the winds of heaven on the same act. But then when Manitoba has such Ministers as Greenway, Smart, Sifton, Martin and Co. the people must expect to pay for their luxury.

Would the public believe it, that notwithstanding all the sounding of trumpets over the advantages of Greenway's system of registration of land titles, it is a financial loss to the province. In the estimates for the current year they have placed the expenses of running these offices at \$61,70 and the receipts a \$60,000. When it takes seven men and some of them purchased renegades at that, to run the Brandon office, the public can understand it all.

## THE SAFE PROGRAMME.

Speaking of Mr. Greenway's recent very strong declaration at Balder, when he opened the campaign, that no matter what the decision of England might be, the government would maintain the National schools, the Toronto Mail says:

It will be remembered that the Opposition recently declared for Public Schools, and promised, in the event of an adverse decision from the Judicial committee, to agitate for a constitutional change by authority of which Separate schools might be dispensed with. This plank in the party platform was a distinct concession to the Public school sentiment. It showed how strong the feeling against a Separate system is in the western provinces. But it is scarcely so logical as Mr. Greenway's programme. The claim of the separatists is that they ought to be placed in precisely the same as that they occupied before the admission of Manitoba into the union. Prior to the union Separate school supporters were certainly not taxed for Public schools, but at the same time they were not taxed for their own schools, and no subsidy of any kind was accorded them by the state. If, then, the Judicial committee determines that the province must revert to the pre-Confederation plan, the result must be the exclusion of the Separate schools from the purview of the legislature except in that it may be declared that no Separate school supporter shall be taxed for Public school purposes.

That is what a thoroughly able, intelligent and impartial journal thinks of the Opposition subterfuge that if the Privy Council decision goes against us we will be legally obliged to grant taxing powers to Separate schools. And the lucid argument of the Mail is in itself unanswerable.

The foregoing is from the Winnipeg Tribune. The grit print at Winnipeg must certainly be easily satisfied. It calls Greenway's bald assertion "a safe programme", before the public have the slightest idea of what that programme is, is short before Greenway himself has a matured plan as to what his future may be on this question, if the decision of the Privy Council is adverse. Even the Toronto Mail itself whose utterance is a "lucid argument" that "is in itself unanswerable" throws no light on the question what the government will or can do in the premises. Supposing Manitoba were thrown into its pre-Confederation position, as regards schools, without action by the government, we would have no schools, national or otherwise, unless the people maintained them by private subscription, which of course they are not likely to do. The question is, we repeat, what will the government do if we revert to our pre-Confederation position, in the matter of schools. The Catholics can refuse to be taxed for national schools,

then, and that is all they object to now, if Catholics in Winnipeg had not been taxed for the so-called national schools there would have been no Barrett v Winnipeg suit, and as a consequence no case before the Privy Council. What the government can do under such circumstances is what we pointed out as possible in our last issue—the government can pay all the teachers salaries out of the provincial treasury and by statute decide the course of teaching in the province. If the Roman Catholics are not satisfied with that they can revert to the condition of things before Confederation, tax themselves as they like for whatever teaching they think proper but they can draw no government aid.

## GREENWAY AND TEMPERANCE.

At Balder the other day Mr. Greenway took a great deal of credit to himself and his Government for what they are doing in favor of temperance in the country. A reference to the statutes of his and his predecessors regimes will, however, throw a little light on the subject:

Under Act of 1886 Under Act of 1888  
1st offence:— 1st offence:—  
\$250, in default of A penalty of not less than \$50 or more than \$100 in default of not less than 12 months imprisonment—  
2nd offence:— 2nd offence:—  
\$500, or in default not less than \$200 of payment 12 or more than \$200 months imprisonment—  
3rd offence:— 3rd offence:—  
\$1,000, or 2 years imprisonment—  
Penalty for selling to Interdicted persons.  
\$200, or 12 months imprisonment—  
Penalty on Inspector for receiving bribes.  
\$200, or in default of \$200 or three months imprisonment—  
If this is not enough an honest statement from Messrs. Pilling and Sifton as to what they did in North Brandon a year ago, to carry the election, will throw more light on the temperance convictions of the Greenway Cabinet.

## PLATFORM.

### Opposition Platform Adopted by Convention.

The following is the Opposition platform adopted in convention of the candidates opposed to the Greenway Government, held in Winnipeg, on May 30th, 1892:

**FINANCIAL POLICY.**  
The finances of the province should be husbanded to the fullest possible extent consistent with an efficient administration and the requirements of a rapidly expanding country. The country should be kept fully informed as to the exact condition of our financial affairs through a plain, honest statement by the provincial treasurer made once a year to the legislature.

**ELECTION LAW.**  
A election law which will insure the franchise to every duly qualified elector, and which will prevent the possibility of the party in power unfairly using it to the disadvantage of those in opposition. The system to be inexpensive, simple and efficient, coupled with revision of the voters lists by the judges.

**ELECTORAL DIVISIONS.**  
A redistribution of the electoral divisions having due regard to population, territory, and more particularly, identity of interests.

**RAILWAY POLICY.**  
1st. A railway policy which will secure the introduction of such other railways into the province as will ensure actual competition in the carrying trade of the province and thus reduce the freight rates on grain products to a fair and reasonable basis.  
2nd. The giving of aid to all colonization roads more especially to one calculated to serve the Lake Dauphin district, and to one securing a direct route from Winnipeg to Duluth.

3rd. No aid to be given to any professionally competing road without definite arrangements and sufficient guarantees for actual and substantial reduction in freight rates.

**Hudson's Bay Railway.**  
The natural outlet for the principal products of the province of Manitoba is by way of the Hudson's Bay; therefore a Hudson's Bay railway should receive the loyal support of the province and its Government so as to ensure its early construction and operation.

**SCHOOL POLICY.**  
The Opposition do hereby declare:  
1. That they are in favor of one uniform system of public schools for the province.

2. That they are ready and willing to loyally carry out the present school act—should it be held by the judicial committee of the Privy Council of Great Britain to be within the legislative power of the province.

3. That in the event of such school act being held by the judicial committee of the Privy Council of Great Britain to be beyond the legislative power of the province; then they will endeavor to secure such amendments to the "British North American Act" and the "Manitoba Act" as will place educational matters wholly within the legislative power of the Province of Manitoba without appeal to the Governor General-in-Council or the Parliament of Canada.

**IMMIGRATION.**  
An immigration policy which will secure to the province her just proportion of European emigrants as well as those from the older provinces of Canada and the United States.

**MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER.**  
Such amendments to the acts affecting the municipal commissioner as will prevent the incumbent of that office from interfering in an arbitrary and unjust manner with the municipal institutions of the province.

**MUNICIPAL ACT.**  
Simplification of the municipal act so as to secure greater efficiency with less expense.

**RELIEF TO MUNICIPAL.**  
The equitable relief of such municipal corporations as have incurred liabilities for the construction of colonization railways in the province.

**CONTRACTS.**  
The contracts for all public works and public supplies to be awarded to the lowest bona fide tenderer.

**WORKMAN'S ACT.**  
A workman's compensation act on lines similar to the acts now in force in Great Britain and Ontario.

**ROBT. ROGERS, Chairman.**  
**T.H. GILMORE, Secretary.**

## ALL SORTS.

The Salvation Army will open fire on Prince Albert the first week in July.

Parliament will not sit on Dominion Day.

The Earl of Harwood is dead in London.

Richard Crocker pledges the Tammany vote to Cleveland and Stevenson.

The total gold ordered for export from New York this week is \$5,250,000.

The allotment of space at the Chicago World's Fair will begin about the 1st of July.

The national convention of colored Democrats has endorsed Cleveland and Stevenson.

Clinton E. Dixon, the murderer of Corporal William Carter, was hanged yesterday at Omaha.

The Duke of Aosta, nephew of King Humbert of Italy, is a guest of the Queen at Windsor Castle.

The petition against the election of Archibald Millar, Conservative, of Prince Edward, has been withdrawn.

An agent of a syndicate is in Manitoba purchasing all the milk cows he can obtain for shipment to Japan.

Jacob Harvey was executed yesterday at Columbus, Ohio, for the murder of his former mistress, Maggie Lehman.

George Monteith, aged 25, of Exeter, Ont., fell off a chair and died from heart disease yesterday while shaving himself.

Four trains with tea brought from China by the C.P.R. steamship Empress of Japan passed through Winnipeg yesterday going east.

A Joliet, Ind., despatch says: The flood in this section is the worst ever known. One child has been carried away by the torrents.

The cholera epidemic in Persia is spreading to the provinces bordering on the Caspian sea. Several cases have also occurred at Baku, on the Russian shore of the Caspian.

Have you ever noticed that a man who's always telling you About the wonderful things he's done and what he's going to do, Is looking at the present time—his purse is busted flat?

And "won't you lend a liver"—have you ever noticed that?

Have you ever noticed office seekers ere election day? Grasp everybody's hand, and something kind and fetching say.

And who, when safe in office, with a salary big and fat, Forgets the humble voter—have you ever noticed that?—Ex.

The elephant's sense of smell is so delicate that when in a wild state it can scent an enemy at a distance of 1,000 yards, and the nerves of its trunk are so sensitive that the smallest substance can be discovered and picked up by its tiny proboscis.

A solid gold brick, weighing 500 pounds and worth \$150,000, will be exhibited in the mines and mining building at the world's fair by a Helena, Mont., mine owner.

A schooner is now being fitted out at Halifax to go to the Arctic regions to get ten or twelve Eskimo families, fifty or sixty persons in all, for exhibition at the world's fair. Dogs, fishing implements, utensils and everything necessary to show Eskimo life, will also be produced.

During a thunderstorm at Kalso, B.C., two men near the Shocan Star Mine were struck by lightning, one of them being instantly killed. The other was insensible for some hours, but eventually recovered.

A girl named Bertha Woodley, while crossing with some other children some logs in the river at Calgary on Thursday afternoon fell into the Bow and had a narrow escape from drowning. She got out with the loss of her coat, hat and slippers and a severe chill.

## Mortgage Sale of Valuable City Property.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction by W. H. Hooper, auctioneer, at his auction rooms on Rosser avenue, in the City of Brandon on Saturday, the 10th day of July, A.D., 1892, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, the following property namely: All and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate lying and being in the City of Brandon and being composed of lots 28, 29, 30 and 31 in block 43 in said City of Brandon, according as said lots and block are laid down and marked out on a map or plan of a subdivision of section twenty three (23), in township ten (10), and range nineteen (19) west of the Principal Meridian in the province of Manitoba, said map or plan being made by J. W. Vaughan, D.L.S., and is now of record in the Land Titles Office Brandon as plan No. two (2). Upon this property is a large warehouse with offices. The lots are 100 feet frontage by 120 feet deep and are situated on 10th street next to the Electric Light Station.

Terms of Sale: Twenty per cent at the time of sale and balance within 30 days. For further particulars apply to DAILY G. COLWELL, Vendors Solicitors, Brandon.

Dated this 28th day of June, A.D. 1892.

## NOTICE.

A GOOD Tailoring business for sale with a strictly cash trade of over four years development. On account of ill health the proprietor would like to sell. Apply to J. K. KEE, Police Mount.

May 19, 1892. 2 p.

## TO RENT.

A NEATLY furnished front room, suitable for one or two gentlemen. Apply to A. R. Main's Office.

June 9.

## LOST.

A purse containing about \$15.00 and a note drawn on the Merchants Bank, made some where between Brandon and Tom Bell's farm near Rapid City. Finder will please leave purse at this office or communicate with Hugh McIntire Rapid City and receive reward.

## MUSICAL TUITION.

Mrs. E. Davidson has vacancy for private pupils in Music, Piano and Organ taught; also singing and cultivation of the voice. Residence: The Edgar Terrace, Cor. 6th St. and Lorne Avenue.

## FOR SALE.

First-class livery and feed business in the progressive town of Souris. Nine horses single and double buggies, complete rig, complete outfit Harness, Hobs, etc., nearly new. Also two bullock teams, included or separate. Satisfactory reasons for selling. Favorable terms, splendid chance for the right man. Apply to Robert L. Crisp, Real Estate Agent, Souris, Manitoba.

## WANTED.

Wanted a smart boy to learn the barber business and make himself useful in tobacco and cigar store. Good home, address with particulars to Wm. Baron, Barber, Oxbow, N. W. T.

## AGENTS WANTED.

FOR sale of the life of Charles Haddon Spurgeon. The life was written by the noted author and contains a full and complete platform orator, read Russell H. Conwell, D.D., LL.D., pastor of Grace Baptist Church, Philadelphia, known as the Spurgeon of America. Concisely, the Spurgeon of England by the Spurgeon of America. The book contains over 500 pages. Prices: \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50. Orders for agencies and territory must be addressed to W. H. Hooper, General Agent, Brandon.

## FOUND.

A CANVAS Value with fishing rod attached, between Ross and Princess avenues on 10th street, on Friday, May 29th. Owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses. Apply to J. B. GRAHAM, 10th street, Brandon, May.

## FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

The next meeting of the Brandon City F. I. Farmers' Institute will be held in the City Hall, Brandon, Saturday, March 30th. Subject: "The Work of the Farmers' Institute, and results we should expect." Speaker: Wm. Thompson, of the Farmers' Advocate.

S. A. Bedford, Pres. R. E. L. 1892.

## STRAYED.

TWO horses, 1 sorrel mare with two white hind feet, and one bay horse, with p. there on them, from Nesbitt, on Saturday night last, last seen at west end of Brandon 11th or 20th morning.

DAVID BLACK, Nesbitt.

## BAKER WANTED.

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# TRAINS TELESOPED.

## ABOUT A DOZEN PEOPLE KILLED AND SEVENTY INJURED.

### The Rear Section of a Passenger Train Runs Into the Forward Section at the Rate of 45 Miles an Hour.

HARRISBURG, June 25.—One of the most disastrous passenger wrecks which occurred in this city took place this morning a short distance below Union depot, in which many persons were killed and many more wounded. The western express, which leaves Philadelphia at 8.20, was late last evening and left in two sections about ten minutes apart. The first section, composed of six coaches and the Westinghouse private car came through to Dock Street bridge power, where it was held until it could enter the union depot. In the meantime the second section came along and covering the signal at the station tower to go ahead, the engineer endeavored to make up time and throw the throttle wide open. The train came thundering along at the rate of 45 miles an hour, and just as it came around the sharp curve at the power the engineer claims a red light was shown out, but too late to avert the accident, which resulted in fearful loss of life. The engine plowed through the Westinghouse private car, which is very heavy and strongly built. It in turn telescoped two of the other cars which were loaded with passengers. The baggage car and express cars of the second section were completely demolished, having been crushed through by the tender and engine. In an instant the air of the train was filled with the shrieks of dying and the screams of women and children. The cars were piled in confusion over all the tracks. Westinghouse, a private car, which was attached to the first section, was overturned and totally crushed.

The screams of the wounded could be heard for squares, and one of the most horrendous scenes took place. Before the bodies could be moved several persons were killed. A deluging rain was falling down, causing those who were injured to suffer intense pain. A crowd of people gathered, and an ambulance carried the wounded to the city hospital, numbering up to this time seventy men, women and children. Several injured persons were taken to various houses in the vicinity and sent to various hospitals. The city hospital is a mass of maimed this morning. The cause of the accident is not exactly known, but there seems to be a mistake in the reading of signals. Hungry persons who lived in the vicinity of the accident, were busy robbing the dead, but were arrested and locked up. An immense crowd gathered at the scene of the accident, and the entire police force has been called out to preserve order. Several undertakers are busy, and wrecking crews have been at work carrying away the debris. Richard Adams, who is among the killed, is a furniture dealer of this city. He had gone to Philadelphia with his wife, who remained paralyzed by the extent of the disaster, which is by far the worst the road has known in many years; they decline to make any statement whatever, but are giving the wounded every attention possible. W. B. Woodward, porter of the Westinghouse car, who was the only one in the car last night said: "We had not the slightest warning. Almost everyone was asleep. Mr. Westinghouse had told me he was going to retire when the crash came. How anyone escaped injuries is a mystery."

The operator at Steelton is alleged to be responsible for the accident in having given Engineer Kelly the wrong signal. The day car at Dock Street made the signal more serious. The mangled bodies were in several instances unrecognizable. One car had to be jacked up to remove the body of a woman, whose head was crushed to a shapeless mass. One of the cars took fire and those who were inside were almost panic stricken. An alarm of fire was sounded and in a few minutes the whole department responded and the flames were soon extinguished. One young woman, elegantly dressed, and probably 18 years of age, was pinned to the truck by the truck of the first car resting on her body; her head had been severed from her body. It was over an hour before the body could be removed. She had on her person a gold watch and considerable money. The bodies of five persons were conveyed to the Union Depot in a baggage car and afterwards transferred to the morgue for identification. Each section of the train was made up of seven coaches. The city is filled with wounded and bodies have already died and several more are lying between life and death. It is estimated that at least fifty persons were more or less wounded.

# SHOT DEAD IN THE COURT

## OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

### The Brother of the Girl Shoots the Outrager--Dramatic Scene.

New York, June 27.—Murder was committed in the Court of General Sessions this morning. Max Clerget, who was before the bar to answer to a charge of shooting a 15 year old girl named Sarah Brown, was shot through the heart and instantly killed by the girl's brother, Edwin Brown. The utmost excitement prevailed. The scene was dramatic in the extreme.

# A HUMAN FIEND CAPTURED.

## Man Named Hoffman Arrested at Calgary While Attempting to Rape.

Calgary, June 27.—A man giving his name as Hoffman was arrested here yesterday, charged with attempted rape on the 12 year old child of Policeman Pugh.

The child had been sent up town on an errand about 10 o'clock Saturday night and while returning home on the south side of the railway was attacked by Hoffman. He however became afraid of being caught and fled. The matter was immediately taken up by the mounted police, and Hoffman was captured when boarding an east bound train at the water tank, about a mile east of here. He will be brought up for preliminary hearing to-day.

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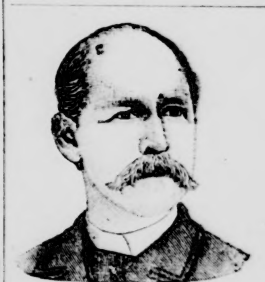
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## ART OF SWIMMING.

An Expert Swimmer Gives the Public Some Points About a Form of Exercise That Brings Many Muscles Into Use—Something Everybody Should Know.

Swimming is the most attractive of all sports just now, and it is a very opportune time to print some valuable information for those who can and those who cannot swim. So the reader will here find concise instructions of the proper methods of swimming and hints on the way in which to obtain the greatest speed with least exertion.

The methods are those taught by Gus Sundstrom, the champion long distance swimmer of America, and instructor of the New York Athletic Club. He is 30 years of age, and was born in Brooklyn of Swedish parentage. He is 5 feet 11 inches in height, and weighs 183 pounds when trained.

Of course, the breast stroke is the first stroke taught. This is the simplest, being most natural way of swimming, being practically an imitation of the frog's method. In it the legs do nearly all the work, and the arms merely keep the head up.

For the first three lessons Sundstrom usually teaches a pupil how to use his arms. In swimming a set of leg muscles are brought into use which are not required in any terrestrial sport. The legs consequently are stiff and sore at first, and should not be overworked. It is a good thing to use a gymnastic apparatus, hanging those muscles, which are inside the thighs, into play.

The instruction in leg movements is given to the pupil while he holds on to the edge of the bath. He must open his legs wide in swimming, in and out and turn his toes out. The two legs should describe an oval figure, not quite complete, as the heels should not come together. There is a downward motion of the legs, which is called a double club action, which hinders them very much. The inside of the legs and not the shins should strike the water. If you cannot understand this go to the frog and learn.

In bringing the legs back they should be straightened, but so as to nearly form a line with the leg. Holding the feet at right angles to the legs hinders greatly.

In the fourth lesson the pupil learns the arm movement. He goes through them twenty times or so out of the water, and then he goes into the water with a belt around his chest, to which is attached a line and pole, which is held by the instructor. In working his arms he must be taught to keep his fingers together and his hands flat on the water. The arms should be drawn back until the shoulder blades touch and no further. He must be taught to pull on the water. The tendency to kick the heels out of the water is easily checked. One cannot swim properly with the legs nearly in the position for treading water.

It is the course of two or three lessons with the belt and pole a pupil learns to swim a few strokes by himself. A good, steady lay can be taught, as a rule, in a much shorter time than a lean one. Sundstrom has had a boy learn to swim in two lessons. Ten is the number more often needed.

## Men In Awful Agony.

Frightful Explosion and Disaster on a New French Cruiser.

West, June 21.—While the new cruiser Dupuy De Lome, 4,300 tons, was trying her machinery yesterday the end of one of the boilers was blown out. The boiler immediately filled with steam and sulphurous smoke, and the electric lights went out, leaving the place in darkness. As the furnace doors were closed, the engineers and stokers could not escape until the chief engineer and another man rushed down the ladder and broke down the door. A horrible sight was presented. The men were lying on the deck delirious from agony, writhing in convulsions, with blackened and distorted faces and blistered bodies. Several in their torture had bitten their arms and hands and had even more unfortunately bitten their legs. Some were heaped together in struggling masses, and it required considerable effort to separate them. The efforts to get the men out were difficult as they were crazy with pain, and attacked the would-be rescuers with their hands, feet and teeth, in some cases inflicting severe injuries. Fifteen were dying when taken to the hospital, and besides external injuries nearly all had lost their lives.

At the very time that the end of the boiler blew out an explosion occurred in the coal bunkers, and set the cruiser on fire, but the fire was soon got under control. In the midst of this the quartermasters reported they could not handle the ship when it was found that the steering apparatus had broken down. The cruiser was perfectly helpless and signals were hoisted, being finally towed to the wharves. The naval authorities will make searching investigations.

## OAK LAKE.

Mr. Lemon Cook informs us that the big burned in the fire kills has proved to be a decided success and he intends to bring another batch of 250,000 ready for the next kill.

A very enjoyable time was spent at the Oak Lake House on Thursday last, the occasion being a surprise party given by Mr. Muller.

Building operations are booming at present and all the carpenters have plenty of work on hand.

Mr. James Lang lost a valuable mare on Saturday night from lung disease.

The new church at Hagar is being plastered and will be ready for occupation about the first of July.

The Rev. S. R. Frown, M.A., preaches his farewell sermon on Sunday next, in Cameron's hall. A large turnout is expected.

pected as Mr. Brown is well liked around here. We hear the local oddfellows are about to start a lodge in town.

## GENERAL NEWS.

Montreal, June 22.—A despatch from Lachute confirms the report of the explosion at Brownburg cartridge factory yesterday. The explosion took place in a building set apart from the factory for the purpose of loading detonators. Fortunately only four persons were at work in this building at the time and although the explosion thoroughly demolished the detonator workshop the other buildings and their occupants sustained nothing more than a shaking up. The detonator building was literally blown to atoms and nothing now remains of it but a mass of ruins. Of four persons in the building at the time only one escaped. He was Richard Burke, of Lachute, aged 14, and though badly injured he may recover. The killed were: John Curran, of Lachute; Jas. Kearns, of Montreal; and Wm. Gunn, of North Mainville.

The first sight that met the eyes of searchers was a headless trunk. The right leg had been torn away near the hip, and the head had been wrenched raggedly from the body. Further search revealed a head horribly distorted some yards away, and in a different direction was found the leg. This body was identified as that of James Kearns, a young son of Mr. William Gunn, who was not married, but when the rescuing party reached him he was stone dead. He leaves a young wife to whom he was married only last Thursday, she having come out from England a week previous to marry him.

Washington, June 22.—Edwin J. Ryan, a trusted clerk of the United States Express company, about twenty five years of age, decamped from this city last night taking with him three packages of new United States bank notes, amounting in all to about \$50,000. The United States Express company handle all shipments of treasury cash, and the packages taken were made up at the depot and addressed to one of the town banks, hence the theft was not discovered until to-day when the expected packages failed to arrive at their destination.

Montreal, June 22.—The Witness' New York correspondent waited upon John Redmond, leader of the Parnellite section of Irish Nationalists yesterday and requested his opinion on the subject of Blake's going to the Irish Nationalist party by the leaders of the Anti-Parnellite section. Redmond declined altogether to be interviewed on the subject. "I have no news whatever on the matter," said Redmond. The correspondent adds that American friends who were with Redmond at the moment were utterly opposed to the idea of a Canadian becoming the Nationalist leader or even apparently being given an Irish seat. A prejudiced against Canada seems to be their only motive as they expressed no reason.

## A DOUBLE HEADER.

O'Malley and Martin With the Electors.

Carman, June 22.—A public meeting called by Messrs Martin and O'Malley, opposition candidates for Morris and Lorne respectively, was held in Dufferin hall, Carman on Tuesday, Mr. Alex. Morrison presiding. Mr. O'Malley was the first speaker. He in a forcible speech which was well received denounced the Government on its general policy.

Mr. Martin followed Mr. O'Malley. He went exhaustively into the misdeeds and omissions of the Greenway Government. He made several good points and was frequently interrupted by enthusiastic applause. Mr. Mulvey, the Government candidate, did not respond to the invitation to be present, but was represented by Mr. Laing, a gentleman from Ontario, in the place of the Government. He supported the majority on the school question, and in a speech of over an hour devoted his time to that question, omitting the slightest reference to questions of much more vital nature to the electors of these ridings.

Mr. Robin was received by rounds of applause and in a magnificent speech went fully into the general conduct of the Government during the last four years. He brought forward among other matters the N. F. contract steel, the Hudson Bay railway project, municipal commissioners, election act, registration clerks, revising barriers, public schools, etc., and upon closing was received with cheer after cheer.

There was a deputation from Morris at the meeting on behalf of Major Mulvey, who have been doing the town for a few days, but they have met with such poor reception that it is doubtful if they will ever return. They left this morning for Kelowna to continue their efforts in that locality.

## Oil Around Edmonton.

Indications of Rich Beds of Petroleum in the Locality.

Edmonton Bulletin.—For years past reports have been spread from time to time, regarding the presence of asphalt and petroleum in the country surrounding Edmonton, and a good deal of time and money has been expended in the hitherto vain effort to locate the actual springs. Indian stories were told of springs of black mud here and there, but none of these stories could be traced up to actual fact. The Indian who knew the place was dead, or the one who had heard of it was unable to find it, or the black mud and not the white for petroleum. Color was lent to these reports by the known facts regarding the vast petroleum deposits on the Athabasca, which might easily extend to underlie the Edmonton district; by the fact that limestone boulders saturated with petroleum tar in a hard dry state were frequently found on the river bars, and by the further facts that in the valley of a creek, about 90 miles southwest of Edmonton

large boulders or broken pieces of sandstone saturated with tar were found, and a similar find was made at Pigeon Lake. The weak points of these discoveries was that, although beyond all question the tar was there, being only in those movable pieces of stone, no clue was given as to the locality of the spring from which it came. A local company was formed to look for oil at the creek mentioned, but the drill procured was unsuited for the purpose, and soon broke, and the boring was abandoned. This was the last attempt that was made to find oil until Monday of this week. Rumors had been gathering ever since spring opened as to the existence of a most peculiar spring north of St. Albert, and on Monday last P. Daly drove out to the place about 22 miles distant to investigate. On his return he brought with him a number of pieces of earth or mud saturated with tar so as to be quite flexible and a pan full of the tar itself in a semi-liquid state, taken out of a hole which he caused to be dug to a depth of about five feet. Apparently the tar had oozed through a crack in the ground, saturating the surface earth and being itself hardened by the process.

About two feet below the surface the first pure liquid tar was found in what appeared like pockets as far as the digging was carried. The color of the tar is black with a very slight brown tinge. It is of the consistency of ordinary coal tar in every way it exactly resembles the tar found on the Athabasca, which has been pronounced by geologists to be the product of petroleum beds. The tar burns readily in a fire, giving off smoke and a small exactly like petroleum. Whether or not the tar is a sure indication of a profitable petroleum field, there is no doubt of the genuineness of the find, and as little that it is not confined to that single locality.



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This young lady has three brothers, each of whose picture is combined in the above portrait. The manufacturer of PARLOR PORTRAIT, THE LATEST SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF PARLOR PORTRAIT, will give a handsome Gold Watch to the person who can make out the faces of the three brothers first; to the second an elegant pair of genuine Diamond Earrings; to the third a fine Piano Lamp in Antique Silver; to the fourth a new and elegant pattern of Swiss Music Box playing six pieces; to the fifth a beautiful pair of Pearl Opera Glasses; to the sixth an elegant Mantel Clock; to the seventh a pair of solid Gold Chain Bracelets, with Padlocks, and to the eighth a COIN SILVER WATCH.

Each contestant is to cut out the picture and make a cross with lead pencil on the three brothers' faces, and send same to us, with ten three-cent Canadian postage stamps (or to cents in silver) for one package of Parlor Portrait, before July 1st, 1892. The envelope postmarked first which contains the three brothers' faces correctly marked will receive the first prize, the balance in order as received. For the last correct answer we will give a handsome Gold Watch to the person who sends the last correct answer to the last of the complete BUSINESS EDUCATION course. Send your answers to the

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## LOCAL NEWS

The Presbyterian church is undergoing repairs.

Wonder what's the matter with Greenway's pants?

Work on the sewers and waterworks is progressing slowly.

President Codd, of the G. N. W. C. railway, is to return to the city shortly.

Rourke & Cass, contractors, are beginning their contract job on the asylum here.

Miss Taylor, daughter of the Chief Justice, is a guest of Mrs. James Sherriff, this city.

The carpenters and plasterers are making some improvements in the Beaubien House.

Mr. Guy Green, of Carberry, has accepted a position with the Sylvester Co. as agent.

Mr. A. D. Rankin accompanied Senator Sanford, of Hamilton, on a visit to the Experimental Farm here last week.

Mr. A. R. Young, in company with a brother from Minnesota, is shortly to bark for a season in the sun-shine at Rat Portage.

The Court of Revision for the City of Brandon adjourned late Saturday night. The result is a gain of 156 for the Opposition.

Mr. R. B. Young, a very fine young man, has been transferred from the Imperial Bank here to the same institution at Winnipeg.

Auction Sale of household effects at Mrs. Woodhead's residence, east side of 5th street, on Monday July 4th, at 2 p. m. W. H. Hooper, Auctioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Swinton wish to acknowledge the receipt of a beautiful clock, given them as a wedding present, by the Clan Gordon on the night of the 18th inst.

John Craig, a Missionary of long experience, returning from India for a vacation, will address a meeting in the Baptist church next Friday night, July 1st, at 8.30. All are cordially invited.

Mr. W. A. Macdonald, Conservative candidate for this city, will hold the first public meeting in the City Hall on July 5th, where the electors will be addressed upon the political issues of the day. Mr. Smart is cordially invited to be present.

Get Red Tape - Hamilton - to committee men - "Is my name on the List?" C. M. "No sir." "Great Scott!" I told McFadden and McFadden told Peterson and Peterson told Smart to have it put on. Wonder why he didn't do it?

A much needed improvement is being made in the firemen's hall. The inside has been gutted and is being remodelled making it more roomy and convenient for the apparatus below and better quarters for the men upstairs.

It is with the utmost confidence in the result that the manufacturers of "Myrtle Navy" tobacco ask all who have not tried it to do so. The thousands who have already done so are living witnesses of its excellence, and are unanimous in the verdict which they give in its favour.

Mr. McDonald and Mr. Smart will hold forth to the electors on the 5th of July, and they two will be the only speakers. This is the best way, as it is not what a dozen men say, know, or what they may propose to do, the electors are anxious to hear, but the candidates themselves.

Alexander Mackenzie left an estate valued at \$55,000, including \$2,500 life insurance; stocks \$25,800; cash \$14,700. He left \$1,500 yearly to his widow and a house, besides one half of his life insurance. The other half he left to his daughter Mary, the wife of Dr. Thompson, who receives the Sarnis property and the other half the estate.

Mr. Lipton, one of England's largest tea merchants, in company with his secretary and Mr. W. McCurdy, of Sidney, Australia, on their way to England, stopped off here on Sunday. They were highly pleased with Brandon's picturesque situation, its wide airy streets and its many fine buildings, ranking it ahead of any of the towns in British Columbia or the Territories.

The Brandon Central School building is progressing finely and bids fair to be the finest structure in the city if not in the province. Messrs. Neupert & Co. are hustling the work along and expect to finish the mason work next week. They are now nearing the top of the second story. The building when completed will be a credit to both the city of Brandon and the builders.

At St. Mary's Church on Tuesday, by the Rev. Father Sinnott, S. J., of St. Boniface College, Mr. Phillip Persell, of Brandon, was married to Miss Maggie Scanlan, of Toronto. Mr. R. W. Hastings, of Brandon, supported the bridegroom, and Miss Mary Scanlan, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was partaken of at the residence of Mr. M. Conway, 157 Donald St. Mrs. Persell is a talented vocalist, and on leaving Toronto she received several addresses from different organizations. She will, no doubt, be a prominent figure in the musical circles of Brandon. -Winnipeg Tribune.

We have a communication from a highly esteemed correspondent dealing with an unfairness in the Avondale nomination. We admit every word the correspondent says is correct, but the publication of the article could do no good now and might do considerable injury. The effort of every well wisher of the country in that constituency should now be employed to elect Mr. Hartney, as he is the candidate, and defeat the rotten government that now rules at Winnipeg.

Mr. E. L. Christie was in Winnipeg on the 26 inst.

It is said the G.N.W.C.R., will be built to Fort Ellice this season.

The Manitoba Orangemen will celebrate the glorious 12th in Brandon this year.

Messrs. Graham & Barber, 6th street, have enlarged their shop and have added a third chair.

G. Doyelle, and W. Collins are officials of the juvenile independent lacrosse club in this city.

Excursion trains will be run on the First from this City to Hamiota, Wawanesa, Oak Lake etc.

The pulpit of the Methodist church, this city, was occupied by Rev. James Switzer, on Sunday last.

And now it is Grover Cleveland that has been nominated in the United States for a democratic president.

The Oddfellows will spend tomorrow at Hamiota. The brass band will also "blow" themselves at that point.

We have Independent and Clear Grit lacrosse clubs now in the City that are displaying their abilities occasionally.

On every hand we hear of the general satisfaction revising officer Henderson has given the opposition in the court of revision for the city.

Rapid City wanted to play our lacrosse at Oak River on the 1st, but as our shape have not been in training this season they declined the challenge.

A. Mr. Charleton, from near Kingston, Ont., has purchased the Brandon House from a Mortgage Co. and is fitting it up in first class style for a Hotel.

The Hellyar Block, corner of Rosser ave. and Sixth street, has changed hands. Andrews & Co. proprietors of the Chicago store have purchased it.

Excursion trains leave Brandon tomorrow as follows: Northern Pacific, for Wawanesa, at 9 a. m.; G. N. W. C. R., for Hamiota and Oak River, at 8 a. m.; Souris, for Melita at 9.40 a. m.

Our local dealers are going to ask the city council to pass some legislation to protect them in the real estate business. If the city council could only adopt some means of preventing the sale of lands for boomer purposes - to those who did not build upon it, it would be a grand thing for the place.

L. O'Brien, a brakeman on the N.P.R., in passing from one car to another, at Elliott's crossing, on a gravel train, on Friday last, fell between two cars, and before he could be rescued was terribly mangled. He was brought to the hospital and cared for as far as possible but he died in the afternoon.

Messrs. Green & Laidlaw will shortly place upon the river here, a steam yacht, of their own manufacture. The engine will be about 2 horse power, burning either coal or wood, and the boat will be capable of making about 12 miles an hour. Mr. Christie will also launch a steam yacht of the same dimensions about the same time. The engines for both crafts are now ready and waiting for the completion of the hulls which are now being built under the supervision of Mr. Fred Bennett. Messrs. Green and Laidlaw deserve credit for this enterprise, and we wish them success.

Dr. E. P. Gordon, well known in lacrosse and football circles, is lying dangerously ill in Brandon. It will be remembered that about a year ago Dr. Gordon was appointed surgeon of the Canadian Pacific steamer Empress of India. In January last he had his leg broken in a football match in Vancouver. His recovery was so slow that he decided to come back to Toronto, and, accompanied by Walter Stewart, of the Customs House, he started for home. The journey proved too much for his weakened constitution, and he was obliged to stop at Brandon. Many anxious enquiries are being made by scores in the city. Dr. Gordon was one of the most enthusiastic and brilliant athletes in Toronto, and the news of his illness has called forth many sincere expressions of regret. -Toronto Empire.

## DOMINION DAY.

The First of July is here again but the Dominion day celebration in Brandon tomorrow will be conspicuous by its absence. Picnics at Wawanesa, Hamiota, Oak River, Pleasure and Melita will take most of our pleasure seekers out of town and Brandon will have a quiet day.

July 1st is the one day that Canadians have a right to celebrate, and our thoughts go back to the days of yore when the boom of the cannon and the rattle of fire-crackers would awaken us in the small hours of morning and we would go out bedecked in our "best Sunday clothes" to "holer" and shout and spend all the money we had managed to save up during the previous two or three months. And then there was the callithumpian procession to make the old folks smile, the "kids" yell and the girls blush, to say nothing about peanuts, ice cream, ginger-bread and "red" lemonade. Where are all these things now? The old cannon is stowed away somewhere or has been sold to the iron-mongers. If you want to shoot fire crackers you have to get out of the corporation. The boys don't "holer", and the girls don't blush and anyway things have got changed around in such a manner that one scarcely knows if he is living in this world or some other world. However the First of July is a day dear to every Canadian's heart, and we hope that all who go to enjoy to-morrow's sports will celebrate in true Canadian style, and may we all live to see many more First of Julys roll into the dark and buried past.

Canada is the Land we love,  
Our broad fair land so free,  
And comrades, where so ever you go,  
This is the Land for me.

## The Red Flag To The Front!

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## STILL LEAD IN PRICES

And will not be undersold. This is why they do a rushing business. If you want tea, call and try our superior 40c at 3 pounds for one dollar. It beats them all for fine flavor. We will give special bargains to those buying from 25 to 50 pound lots, as we have in the past in order to reduce our large stock. We still sell 2 cans of tomatoes, corn, peas, beans, pumpkins or salmon for 25 cents, and canned fruit as low as 20 cents per can. A very superior soda biscuit, 3 lbs for 25c. All kinds of California evaporated fruits on hand, cheap. A fine line of new raisins, currants, figs and prunes away down. Also a lot of beautiful dates at 12 1/2 c, and for soaps, they are cheaper than ever. We keep a full line of flour, all grades, very cheap for cash. All kinds of meal, potato flour and eggs kept on hand. We pay the highest market prices for farmers produce and will not be undersold. We thank you for your large patronage during the winter, and still expect greater things for the future. Come on; we will try and serve you promptly as we have more help now. Don't forget the place--Synington's old stand, 10th St.

Telephone No. 54.

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# WHAT ARE THE WILD WAVES SAYING?

## ATTACK!

The following appeared June 11th in the Brandon Times:

Cheap stores are all very well when they can do a legitimate trade--but these tuppenny-ha-penny places where hardware, drugs, canned meats, jams, books, jewellery, dry goods and other things are sold for less than it costs other merchants to buy them, do more harm to a community than good. They take away trade from men who help the town by the money they make, they create dissatisfaction among buyers, encourage cheap labor and pocket whatever profit is going themselves. No city nor town is any better for having a "Cheap Store," yet everyone patronizes it to the detriment of thoroughly established businesses.

## OUR REPLY.

As this involves a question of Political Economy which we do not feel competent to decide, we respectfully submit it to the "Public."

### QUESTION:

Whether it is of greater advantage to a town for a few merchants to become wealthy through high prices and a monopoly of the trade, or that the market be open to sharp competition, thereby enabling bread-winners to purchase their supplies at lower prices and lay by some of the money that would otherwise go to swell the merchant's bank accounts.

N.B.--Until this question is decided we shall continue to sell goods at LOW PRICES regardless of what other merchants pay for them.

According to the above we should Shut Up Shop and let High Price & Co. do all the business. OF COURSE WE WILL, (in a horn)

THESE PRICES MAKE OUR COMPETITORS TIRED.

### DRUGS.

\$1.00 bottle	Burdock Blood Bitters	85c
" "	Paine's Celery Compound	85c
" "	Ayres Sarsaparilla	85c
" "	Enos Fruit Salts	95c
" "	Beef Iron & Wine	85c
\$1.25	Warner's Safe Cure	90c
\$1.00	Pierce's Favorite Prescription	85c
" "	Pierce's Discovery	85c
\$1.50	Fellow's Compound Syrup Hypo	\$1.25
75c	Green's August Flower	60c
75c	Boschee's German Syrup	60c
50c	Scott's Emulsion	40c
50c	Dr. Williams' Pink Pills	40c
50c	Wyeth's Malt Extract	40c
50c	Warner's Safe Nervine	40c
25c package	Carter's Little Liver Pills	20c
25c	Ayer's Cathartic Pills	20c
25c	Burdock's Pills	20c
25c	Brandreth Pills	20c
25c box	Brown's Bronchial Troches	20c
25c package	Harvey's Pills	20c
25c	Morse's Indian Root	20c
25c	National Pills	20c
25c	Pierce's Pleasant Pellets	20c

And a large stock of Sponges, Feeding Bottles, Syringes and other sundries, all cut prices. Call on us first.

### FURNISHINGS.

Top Shirts, value	50c for	30c.
" "	50c	40c.
" "	75c	50c.
" "	\$1.00	75c.
" "	\$1.25	\$1.00
" "	\$1.75	\$1.25
" "	\$2.50	\$1.75
" "	\$3.50	\$2.50
Regatta Shirts, value	75c for	50c.
" "	\$1.00	75c.

These were stopped in transit to a western dealer, on a question of payment, but our cash shot of 60c on the dollar brought them out of the freight house.

F. Osenbugge, Fashionable Hatter and Furrier, 320 Main Street, Winnipeg, retiring from the hat business, our cash took the stock away down. Your cash will take \$3.50 hats at \$2.00, \$2.50 hats at \$1.50 and \$1.00 hats at 50c. All this springs goods.

### CLOTHING.

Boys' wash suits 90c.  
Men's blue serge pants \$1.00.  
300 pairs Men's fine pants just received, choice styles, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.25, worth \$1.00 to \$2.00 per pair more than we ask. Pants at \$1.00 to \$1.50 are not worth buying no matter who sells them, get a \$5.00 pair from us for \$3.00.  
Boys suits in fine tweeds at very low prices.  
Silk and cotton umbrellas, sample line at wholesale price.  
Tailoring department, pants to order \$4.00 and upwards.

### DRY GOODS.

Black and colored parasols, value 50c for 40c, also great value at 60c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.  
Ladies Silk Mitts, black and colored, 25c.  
Ladies Silk Gloves, black and colored, 25c.  
Ladies White Kid Gloves, value \$1.00 for 10c.  
Ladies Vests, 50c, 30c, 20c and 10c.  
Ladies Blouses, 50c, 30c, \$1.75 & \$2.50.  
Ladies Lisle Gloves 10c.  
Ladies Black Silk Blouses, \$2.75, \$3.25, \$3.50, worth double.  
Great drive in Hose, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, \$1.00 dozen less than wholesale.  
1 case of Misses and Ladies Straw Hats 60c on the dollar.  
10c Print and Muslin 5c.  
Black Lace and Capes, value \$2.50 for \$1.50.  
Flowers 10c, 15c, 20c, worth double.  
Ribbons, 10,000 yds 1 to 2 inches wide 2c yard.  
Corsets, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, splendid value.  
Table Linen, fine cloth, 80c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.  
Napkins, fine damask, 70c a doz, worth double.  
and four ton of other Dry Goods, just arrived and are now being opened. Come and get the first choice.

# Chicago Store,

Rosser Ave., 2nd Door East of 6th Street, Brandon,